

OIL AND GAS FIELD SERVICES

TABLE 6E. Drilling Statistics for Oil, Gas, Dry, and Service Wells as Reported by Drilling Contractors for 1963, 1958, 1954, and 1939, and by Geographic Areas: 1963--Continued

Item	West North Central						South Atlantic	East South Central			
	Division	North Dakota	Nebraska	Kansas	Missouri and South Dakota	Division		Kentucky	Mississippi	Tennessee and Alabama	
Wells, drilled, total number.....	3,640	115	303	3,133	89	950	2,238	1,364	773	101	
Oil wells.....	1,771	55	54	1,662	15	209	1,021	650	291	80	
Service wells.....	1,999	56	1	1,988	74	602	1,217	111	13	21	
Footage drilled, total.....	1,467	4	247	1,149	64	95	1,004	515	468	753	
Oil wells.....	203	654	1	124		44	89	88	1	630	
Service wells.....	11,498	322	1,476	9,304	64	2,490	8,459	2,036	5,670		
1,000 ft.....	5,433			5,480		574	3,987	813	2,544		
Oil wells.....	644					1,487	3,987	271	114		
Service wells.....	5,167	332	275	/		/	385		3,012	123	
Average footage drilled per well, all wells.....	254	5,687		3,618		374	4,021	66	7,335		
Oil wells.....	3,159	5,855	1,201	2,970		55	3,780	952	8,742	7,455	
Service wells.....	3,068		4,871	206		2,621	3,905	1,493	8,769	7,875	
Costs borne by contractors in drilling and equipping wells on contract, total.....	3,236	5,533		2,970		2,746	3,105	2,441	6,422		
Oil wells.....	3,522	2,726		2,946		2,470	4,005		22,024	5,857	
Service wells.....	1,251	23.7	5,000	2,946			742	1,579	28.5		
Per foot..... \$1.00.....	31,885	4.17	4,843	3,149		3,937	33,859	1,579	3.88		
Oil wells.....	8.8	1,460	3,612	3,149			15.1	6,384	10,158		
Service wells.....	2.77	26.5	11.9	719		1,250	4.00	3.14	34.9	5,451	
Costs borne by contractors in drilling and equipping wells on contract, total.....	14,798	4.53	2.45	1,661	363	11,529	17,736	2,541	3.99	54.0	
Oil wells.....	8.4	1,266	712	25,184	4.1	12.1	17.4	3.9	470	7.24	
Service wells.....	2.72	21.1	12.9	8.0	5.67	4.63	1.393	3.13	36.2	5.037	
Per foot..... \$1.00.....	1,650	3.81	2,59	2.70	363	1,879	11.2	923	4.12	63.0	
Oil wells.....	8.3			14,276	4.1	9.0	3.62	8.3	11,396	8.00	
Service wells.....	2.56			7.7	5.67	3.27	14,436	3.41	3.78	414	
Per foot..... \$1.00.....	14,575	(f)	(f)	2,60		7,534	14.4	2,920	19.7		
Oil wells.....	8.8	2,654	12,900	(f)		12.5	3.59	2,920	3.37		
Service wells.....	2.82	862	111.7	(f)		5.07	294	4.8	2,751		
Cost, excluding payments to subcontractors and excluding cost of casing, tubing, and well equip- ment.....	4.2	4.06	2.41	10,305	363	1,693	3.3	3.07	27.2		
Per foot..... \$1.00.....	3.39	1,447		9.0	4.1	17.8	4.45	(f)	18,396	3.65	
Oil wells.....	28,891	26.3		2.85	5.67	4.53	27,165	(f)	13.8	2,671	
Service wells.....	7.9	4.49		603	363	423	12.1	(f)	3.24	33.4	
Per foot..... \$1.00.....	2.51	1,207	2,974	4.9	4.1	9.6	3.21	6,018	8,161	4.24	
Oil wells.....	13,239	20.1	9.8	2,93	5.67	7.69	13,192	4.4	28.0	80	
Service wells.....	7.5	3.64		22,900	(f)	10,545	12.9	2.96	3.21	3.8	
Per foot..... \$1.00.....	2.44		2.01	7.3	(f)	11.1	3.31	2,360	357	0.65	
Oil wells.....	1,535		541	2.46	4.23	4.23	1,122	3.6	27.5	1,157	
Service wells.....	2.38		1.97	12,786	7.8	1,637	9.0	2.90	3.13	853	
Cost, excluding payments to subcontractors and excluding cost of casing, tubing, and well equip- ment.....	13,292	68	(f)	16.9		2.85	2.91	765	9,878	304	
Per foot..... \$1.00.....	9.1			2.83		6,870	12.5	6.9	21.1	935	
Oil wells.....	2.57			(f)		11.4	3.12	2.82	3.28	655	

See footnotes at end of table.